

**BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP**

**INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW**

**8110 GATEHOUSE ROAD**

**SUITE 500 EAST**

**FALLS CHURCH, VA 22042-1210**

**USA**

(703) 205-8000

FAX (703) 205-8050

(703) 698-8590 (G IV)

e-mail: mailroom@bskb.com

web: http://www.bskb.com

**CALIFORNIA OFFICE**

**COSTA MESA, CALIFORNIA**

JAMES T. ELLER, JR.

SCOTT L. LOWE

D. RICHARD ANDERSON

PAUL C. LEWIS

MARK W. MILSTEAD\*

RICHARD J. GALLAGHER

JAYNE M. SAYDAH\*

MARYANNE ARMSTRONG

KECIA J. REYNOLDS

ROBERT L. SCOTT, II

KALPANA REDDY

LARRY J. HUME

REG. PATENT AGENTS

FREDERICK R. HANDREN

MAKI HATSUMI

CRAIG A. McROBBIE

GARTH M. DAHLEN, PH.D.

ROBERT E. GOOZNER, PH.D.

MATTHEW J. LATTIG

TIMOTHY R. WYCKOFF

KRISTI L. RUPERT, PH.D.

HRAYR A. SAYADIAN, PH.D.

MATTHEW T. SHANLEY

JASON W. RHODES

CHRISTINA F. ANNICK

SUSAN W. GORMAN, PH.D.

DAVID J. CHO

TERRELL C. BIRCH

RAYMOND C. STEWART

JOSEPH A. KOLASCH

JAMES M. SLATTERY

BERNARD L. SWEENEY\*

MICHAEL K. MUTTER

CHARLES GORENSTEIN

GERALD M. MURPHY, JR.

LEONARD R. SVENSSON

TERRY L. CLARK

ANDREW D. MEIKLE

MARC S. WEINER

JOE MCKINNEY MUNCY

ROBERT J. KENNEY

DONALD J. DALEY

JOHN W. BAILEY

JOHN A. CASTELLANO

GARY D. YACURA

THOMAS S. AUCHTERLONIE

MARK J. NUELLE, PH.D.

OF COUNSEL

HERBERT M. BIRCH (1905-1996)

ELLIOT A. GOLDBERG\*

WILLIAM L. GATES\*

EDWARD H. VALANCE

RUPERT J. BRADY (RET.)\*

F. PRINCE BUTLER

FRED S. WHISENHUNT

JAMES W. HELLWEGE

\*ADMITTED TO A BAR OTHER THAN VA

Date: July 30, 2001

Docket No.: 2185-0560P-SP

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Box PATENT APPLICATION

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

As authorized by the inventor(s), transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application applied for on behalf of the inventor(s) according to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.41(c).

Inventor(s): HIDAKA, Yasuaki  
YAMAGUCHI, Takanari

For: LAMINATE OF LIQUID CRYSTALLINE POLYMER

Enclosed are:

- X A specification consisting of 52 pages
- sheet(s) of        drawings
- X Certified copy of Priority Document(s)
- X Executed Declaration in accordance with 37 CFR 1.64 will follow
- Applicant claims small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27
- X Preliminary Amendment

Applicant requests early publication

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

LARGE ENTITY				SMALL ENTITY	
FOR	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	FEE	
BASIC FEE	***** ***** *****	***** ***** *****	***** ***** *****	\$710.00	or
TOTAL CLAIMS	21 - 20 =	1	x18 =\$	18.00	or
INDEPENDENT	1 - 3 =	0	x80 =\$	0.00	or
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED <u>yes</u>			+270 =	\$270.00	or
TOTAL \$				998.00	TOTAL \$
					0.00

\_\_\_\_ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A triplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

Send Correspondence to:

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP or Customer No. 2292  
P. O. Box 747  
Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747  
Telephone: (703) 205-8000

— No fee is enclosed.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP

By 

RAYMOND C. STEWART

Reg. No. 21,066

P. O. Box 747

Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747

(703) 205-8000

RCS/sl

09916507.07004  
T00E.07.0959T650

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

I N F O R M A T I O N   S H E E T

Applicant:           HIDAKA, Yasuaki  
                      YAMAGUCHI, Takanari

Application No.:

Filed:                July 30, 2001

For:                 LAMINATE OF LIQUID CRYSTALLINE POLYMER

Priority Claimed Under 35 U.S.C. 119 and/or 120:

COUNTRY	DATE	NUMBER
JAPAN	07/31/00	2000-230784

Send Correspondence to:   BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP  
                                  P. O. Box 747  
                                  Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747  
                                  (703) 205-8000

The above information is submitted to advise the USPTO of all relevant facts in connection with the present application. A timely executed Declaration in accordance with 37 CFR 1.64 will follow.

Respectfully submitted,

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP

By



RAYMOND C. STEWART

Reg. No. 21,066

P. O. Box 747

Falls Church, VA 22040-0747

/sl

(703) 205-8000

2001-07-31 14:03:40